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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

William J. ROBERTS

Entitled: "BIOAVAILABLE PRODRUGS
OF ANDROGENIC STEROIDS
AND RELATED METHOD"

Serial No.: 09/872,705

Filed: June 1, 2001

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed on February 24, 2003, thereby extending the period for response to June 24, 2003.

A check for \$ 55.00 is attached to cover the petition fee. If this amount is deficient or if there are any other fees due in connection with this application, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 501324.

Dated: June 24, 2003

Respectfully submitted,

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